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#### PRESENT OCCUPATION:

Arbitrator and Professor Emeritus at the Georgia Institute of Technology

### **PROFESSIONAL AFFLIATIONS:**

National Academy of Arbitrators (NAA) (Member 1996 -Present) Served as Chair of the Southeast Region of NAA (2004-2007) American Arbitration Association

## **EDUCATION:**

PhD Business Administration Georgia State University
MSIM Industrial Management Georgia Institute of Technology
BEE Electrical Engineering Georgia Institute of Technology

### ARBITRATION/LABOR RELATIONS EXPERIENCE:

- 1. Arbitrated labor and employment cases in both the private and public sector from 1971 to present.
- 2. Taught labor relations and personnel at both the graduate and undergraduate level at two major universities Georgia State University and Georgia Institute of Technology.
- 3. Arbitrated cases in Central America, Europe, and the Caribbean.

# PUBLISHED BOOKS AND LABOR ARBITRATION CASES:

- 1. Has over eighty (80) cases published in <u>Labor Arbitration Awards</u>, <u>Labor Arbitration Reports</u>, and in other labor relations journals.
- 2. Textbook entitled <u>Human Resource Management</u>, 9<sup>th</sup> edition, McGraw-Hill Book Co., 2008
- 3. Textbook entitled Management: Skills and Application, 12<sup>th</sup> edition, McGraw-Hill Book Co., 2007.
- 4. The two textbooks have been used in over 400 collages and universities. Both textbooks have been translated into Spanish and Chinese for international use.

## **ARBITRATION ROSTERS:**

American Arbitration Association Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service National Mediation Board

# ARBITRATED CASES IN THE FOLLOWING INDUSTRIES:

Aerospace, Airlines, Agriculture, Automotive, Bakery, Beverage, Brewery, Cement, Chemicals, Communication,

Education, Electrical Equipment/Appliance, Entertainment/Arts, Federal Sector Grievance, Feed /Fertilizer, Food (Manufacturing/Processing/Service), Foundry, Glass/Pottery, Health Care, Hospital/Nursing Home, Iron, Machinery, Maritime, Meatpacking, Metal Fabrication, Office Workers/Clerical, Packaging, Paint/Varnish, Petroleum/Petrochemicals, Plastics, Police/Fire Fighters, Printing/Publishing, Public Sector Grievance, Pulp/Paper, Rubber/Tire, Stone/Quarry, Transportation, Trucking, Storage, Utilities, Warehousing.

### ARBITRATED CASES INVOLVING THE FOLLOWING ISSUES:

Affirmative Action, Absenteeism, Arbitrability, Bargaining Unit Work, Conduct (Off-Duty/Personal), Demotion, Discipline (Non-Discharge), Discipline (Discharge), Discrimination (Age, Disability, Race, Sex), Drug/Alcohol Offenses, Fringe Benefits (Bonus, Holidays, Insurance, Leave, Vacation), Health/Hospitalization, Hiring Practices, Job Performance, Job Posting/Bidding, Layoffs/Bumping/Recall, Management Rights, Official Time, Past Practices, Pension and Welfare Plans, Promotion, Retirement, Safety/Health Conditions, Seniority, Sexual Harassment, Strikes (Lockouts, Work Stoppages, Slowdowns), Subcontracting/Contracting Out, Union Security, Wages (Cost of Living Pay, Holiday Pay, Incentive Pay, Job Classification and Rates, Merit Pay, Overtime Pay, Severance Pay, Vacation Pay), Working Hours/Schedules/Assignments, Working Conditions, Violence or Threats.

## SERVED ON THE FOLLOWING PANELS:

AK Steel Corporation and IAM Local Lodge 1943 (Ohio); AT & T and Communication Workers of America; Bell South and Communication Workers of America; Fort Myers Beach Fire Control District and International Association of Fire Fighters; PEMCO and United Automobile Workers; Social Security Administration and American Federation of Government Employees; U. S. Postal Service and National Association of Letter Carriers; U. S. Postal Service and National Rural Letter Carriers Association; U. S. Postal Service and National Postal Mail Handlers Union; U. S. Postal Service and American Postal Workers Union; Vestal Manufacturing and USWA; Veteran's Administration and American Federation of Government Employees.

#### **FEES**

Per Diem Fee: \$1,000 Cancellation Fee (See Below)

Grievance Arbitration: The fee is \$1000.00 per day for hearing, study, and preparation of the award. A hearing day is any portion of a day up to eight (8) hours. Time for study and preparation is prorated.

<u>Cancellation or Postponement Policy:</u> If the scheduled hearing is postponed or canceled with notice of less than four calendar weeks (28 days), a one day per diem fee (\$1000.00) will be charged. For hearings scheduled for two days or more, a notice of six (6) calendar weeks (42) days) applies.

<u>Interest and Employment Arbitration:</u> Arbitrator charges \$1000 per day (for up to 8 hours). Time for research and preparation is prorated at \$125.00/hour.

<u>Travel Time:</u> Arbitrator charges per diem fee for any portion of a travel day up to eight hours. Fee is prorated for travel time over eight hours at \$125.00/hour.

<u>Expenses:</u> Arbitrator charges actual cost of reasonable expenses, including airfare, car rental, food and lodging. Automobile mileage is charged at the applicable IRS expense rate. Arbitrator charges a fixed fee of \$100 for expenses such as copying, phone, and clerical assistance.